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Information

From 2 to 14 April 1955, Soviet naval vessels were seen in the Gdynia and Swinemuende harbors. The following details were obtained:

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| Class | Type | Date | Time | Harbor | Berth | Remarks |
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| oil vessel | u/i | 2 Apr | 1030 | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | The vessel entered harbor from the sea |
| mine sweepers | | 7 Apr | 0915 | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | the vessels entered harbor through the northern entrance |
| auxiliary vessel | (?) | | | | | |
| speed boats | u/i | 7 Apr | 0915 | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | |
| auxiliary vessel | ? | 8 Apr | ? | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | The vessel left harbor |
| speed boats | ? | 11 Apr | 0940 | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | The two boats came from the sea at high speed and entered Harbor Basin X |
| speed boats | ? | 11 Apr | 0940 | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | |
| speed boats | ? | 12 Apr | 0940 | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | |
| speed boats | ? | 13 Apr | 1305 | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | The vessels put to sea and were not seen entering the harbor prior to 13 April |
| speed boats | ? | 13 Apr | 1300 | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | The vessels did not leave Harbor Basin X |
| speed boats | ? | 14 Apr | 0920 | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | The vessels put to sea |
| speed boats | ? | 14 Apr | 0920 | Gdynia | Harbor Basin X | The vessels did not leave Harbor Basin X |

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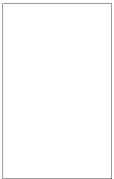
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| speed boat | ? | 14 Apr | 1453 | Gdynia | Harbor | The vessel entered the harbor |
| speed boat | ? | 14 Apr | 1630 | Gdynia | Basin X | The vessel left the harbor at high speed |
| auxiliary vessel | ? | 5 Apr | 0800 | approx 1 sea mile north of buoy Hela 2, coming from Putziger Wick and heading for Hela | Basin X | The vessel had a gray coat of paint, approx 3,000 DWT and lay high above the surface; bridge with radar set amidship, two masts and a stack, somewhat spaced from the bridge; no armament; bridge was occupied, no other crew members were seen |
| mine sweeper | | 5 Apr | 0830 | Gdynia | Harbor | The vessel entered harbor and berthed in Harbor Basin X |
| speed boats | ELCO | 6 Apr | 1800 | Swinemuende | Harbor | prior to passing through the main entrance, she gave searchlight signals which were answered from the direction of Harbor Basin X |
| speed boats | ELCO | 6 Apr | 1800 | Swinemuende | Basin of Osternot-hafen | Several bundles of speed boats |
| submarine chaser | KROCHTADT | 6 Apr | 1800 | Swinemuende | at the beginning of the Destroyer Pier | No details avail |
| submarine | u/i | | | | Destroyer Pier | The vessel appeared to have just entered harbor and shifted to the Destroyer Pier |
| | | | | | | The vessel had a straight-cut stern with two flaps which seemed to be torpedo discharge tubes. The submarine had an estimated 1,500 tons and, in shape and size, was similar to the first German 1,500-ton Atlantic boats. She had a gun forward of the conning tower which appeared to have a "winter garden" |

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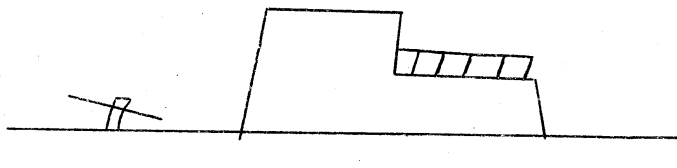
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| speed boats | ELCO (?) | 17 Apr | 0340 | Swinemünde | Harbor | | | |
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| | | | | | Harbor | | | |
| | | | | | Basin X | | | |
| speed boats | u/i | 13 Apr | ? | Gdynia | | Each of the boats had an armament of two torpedo tubes mounted on deck and two twin-barreled machine guns or twin-barreled 21 guns. A total of eight speed boats was seen in Harbor Basin X | 3 | |
| 1. | Comment. The speed boat unit was previously reported | | | | | | | 25X1 |
| 2. | Comment. The information probably refers to submarine 75 which has repeatedly been sighted. | | | | | | | 25X1 |
| | for sketch of the upper deck of the submarine, see Annex. | | | | | | | |
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